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To Whom it may Concern,

I oppose the draft Memorandum being proposed by the FDA. In particular, I object to the definition of "inordinate amount" which restricts the availability and the right to obtain medically necessary compounded medications by limiting the number of prescriptions that can be shipped across state lines from specialized compounded pharmacies. After much effort to find a pharmacy that will custom prepare my prescription, why would the FDA impede this service? Are there bigger (i.e. large pharmaceutical houses) concerns greedy for the business? The problem is, these larger services don't provide custom service. They serve only the bottom line!

Cordially,



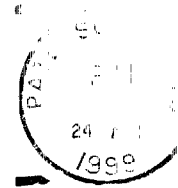
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